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# The Avalanche.

J. C. HANSON, Local Editor.

THURSDAY, OCT. 16, 1890.

## LOCAL ITEMS.

H. C. Thatcher has put in a fine stock of stationery.

Dr. C. W. Smith has returned from his Iowa trip, with improved health. The best office in town, for sale by Salling, Hanson & Co.

J. M. Finn arrived in town from Ishpeming yesterday morning.

Choice Candies from 12 to 35 cts. per pound, at C. W. Wight's Restaurant. Cheboygan ladies have a "Come Over Club."

Buy your drugs and medicines of L. Fournier, registered pharmacist.

Reported that there are a number of cases of diphtheria at Cheboygan.

Good Plush caps for sale cheap, at a store of S. H. & Co.

An epidemic of fever is raging in Ay City.

Boots and shoes at cost, at the store of Lyon & Conner.

Mrs. Chas. Jerome has been visiting his friends at West Branch.

Wood Jon—To be let to two good men. Enquire of A. J. LOYE.

The Northern furnace, of near Marquette, idle for 20 years, goes into blast again this month.

For the finest cigar in the city, go to the Drug Store of W. C. Thatcher.

Wm. Reed came up Sunday morning to spend a day with his family, returning Tuesday morning.

Go to W. H. Smale's hardware store for Heating Stoves.

Claggett & Pringle have a change in their add, this week. Read and profit thereby.

Go to Bell's for genuine French Blacking.

The potato crop in this section is very satisfactory and of excellent quality.

Fresh Oysters, always on hand, at the Restaurant of C. W. Wight.

F. P. Richardson brought in wagon load of chickens for the city market, last Monday.

For pencils and tablets for school uses, go to H. C. Thatcher's.

Potatoes are reported to be a good crop all over this country. Potatoes will be high next spring.—*Min. Mail.*

If you want a cheap Overcoat, go to the Pioneer Store.

Mrs. Gordon has moved to her new house near the school grounds, making a commodious residence.

Pure drugs and medicines, carefully compounded at Thatcher's drug store.

John Rasmussen has built a large addition to his residence on Peninsular Avenue, which is nearly enclosed.

Every thing goes at cost, at H. Joseph's Opera House Store.

The Bay City Democrats are denying the assertion that Hon. S. O. Fisher is sulking in his tent.

Great Bargains in Dry Goods at the store of S. H. & Co.

The supreme court of Michigan has decided that the local option law is constitutional.

Cotton underwear and hose at your own price, at Lyon & Conner's.

A world's fair committee has bought the log house in which Lincoln was born, paying \$1,000 for it.

For stationery, pencils, tablets, etc. go to H. C. Thatcher's drug store.

The supervisors are in session this week, the committee on equalization being now at work.

Do not forget to take advantage of the closing out sale of H. Joseph.

An Sable and Oseoda had a dog and cock fight early Sunday morning for \$500 a side.

Cook Stoves from \$10.00 up, at the Hardware Store of W. H. Smale.

The S. of V. are rapidly completing arrangements for their military drama to be presented the last of the month.

WANTED—A quiet steady chore boy can have a good steady job at A. J. LOYE'S.

Jerome Gray has returned from his visit home, and assumed his place as engineer of Metcalf's bay team.

H. Joseph is selling out, but if the new goods keep coming in as they have lately, he will be some time closing.

Have you heard that S. H. & Co. are selling Goods cheaper than any other store in town. Call and see.

The Bay City Democrats, led by S. O. Fisher, have taken off their coats to work for Winans and Weadock from this out.

Ladies & Misses' Fascinators. Also children's Plush Caps, at the Pioneer store.

The Oseoda Herald has returned to the Republican fold, having found it hard times in the Democratic ranks.—*Min. Mail.*

Mrs. Chas. Jerome, of Grayling, is visiting with Mrs. J. W. Livingston. Her little son accompanied her.—*Oseoda News.*

Everything in Joseph's line of goods is marked down from 15 to 25 per cent.

Hans Rasmussen, 66 years old, an old resident of Manistee, dropped dead last Wednesday afternoon, while sawing wood, he should have let his wife saw the wood.

Buy your underwear at cost, of Lyon & Conner. They are closing out their stock of clothing.

Dr. Thatcher was called Tuesday afternoon to attend Mrs. A. H. Blumhardt. She is recovering.—*Roscommon News.*

O. J. Bell, has the finest line of Ladies' Shoes, in town, ranging from 90c to \$3.75.

A certain indenture for real estate, from Wm. Morrison to A. B. Upton, was found by W. D. Bradford in the highway east of the village, and left at this office for the owner.

If you want a good Horse Blanket, call at the Pioneer Store of Salling, Hanson & Co.

Judge of Probate, Geo. W. Love, had a second attack of paralysis last Thursday, affecting the left side, but is much better and a complete recovery is anticipated.

Call at H. C. Thatcher's, next door east of the bank, and see his stock of stationery.

A man named Hokenbeck was run over on Pott's railroad and died shortly thereafter. His remains were sent to Detroit where he has relatives.

*Min. Mail.*

Fine Cigars and Tobacco's, cheapest in town, at the restaurant of C. H. Wight.

Our farmers are happy over the beautiful fall weather and abundant rain. The crops are all secured, and fall seeding was never in better condition for the approach of winter.

Come early and get the first choice of goods at H. Joseph's closing out sale.

Mrs. Chris. Range is enjoying a visit from her mother, from the State of New York. Mrs. Alex. O'Dell, formerly of Beaver Creek.

None but the purest drugs and chemicals used in dispensing. Physicians prescriptions, and family recipes, at the lowest prices, L. Fournier.

O. J. Bell arrived home from the U. P. this morning, looking as though the full food must have been good up in the woods.

Mothers, make your boys happy by purchasing one of those \$1.50 Suits, which are worth twice the amount, at H. Joseph's.

Miss Emma Day is enjoying a visit from her sister, Miss Carrie Day, of Lapeer county, who came up last week, accompanied by her father.

W. H. Smale has just received a large stock of Cooking and Heating Stoves. Call and examine stoves and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

Mr. Hartwick returned to his home in Grayling last week, after making his daughter, Mrs. A. L. Simons, a pleasant visit.—*Oseoda Co. News.*

Experienced and Registered Pharmacists on hand day and night to attend to the wants of my patrons, L. Fournier.

The logging Hampton branch of the Michigan Central from West Branch will be extended 12 miles to the Boyce timber district, containing over 300,000,000 feet of pine. The work will be completed by Jan. 1th.

Ladies I call your attention to my stock of Newmarkets, Short Wraps, and Walking Jackets. You will save money by buying them now as the stock is complete at H. Joseph's.

S. & L. S. Grabowsky who have been operating a store at Roscommon for some time past, have gone to Rhinelander, Wis., where they will open a clothing store.

Lyon & Conner are selling Ladies' Hose at 15, 18, 20, 25 and 35 cents. Former price, 20, 25, 30, 35 and 50c.

D. J. Mitts has finished lathing the school house, and is now at work on C. Silsby's new house, which he will finish in about two weeks.—*Roscommon News.*

Do you need any thing in the line of shoes, if so, you will get them at cost, at H. Joseph's.

The School Board have appointed Deputy Sheriff McCormick tenant of floor, under the general law, to see if the children who are constantly running away from school cannot be kept in place.

Prices must tell: One dollar will buy more Goods at Lyon & Conner's, than at any other place in the State.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Doyle have returned from a ten day visit to Kalamazoo, and Fort Wayne, Ind. Mr. Doyle reports large crops of wheat, oats and hay, but a failure of fruit, corn and potatoes in those sections.

Louis Sand's "Red" mill salt block, salted, and a million shingles burned last Friday night. About 50,000 barrels of salt were ruined. Loss \$150,000; insurance about \$50,000.

L. S. Benson having returned, has not time to enumerate the novelties in millinery, but invites all to call and see for themselves.

A large assortment of Lamps, just received. Please call and examine them, at the store of S. H. & Co.

I am bound to sell out. Now is your time to take the advantage as you get goods at just what they cost, at H. Joseph's.

President Oscar Clute, of the Michigan Agricultural College and Hon. Charles Garfield, member of the State Board of Agriculture are in the city, in the interest of the Experiment Station.

L. S. Benson has returned from Detroit with the most complete stock of Fall Millinery ever opened in Grayling. He cordially invites the ladies to call and examine the latest styles.

R. H. Fosdick, of Union Corners, last Saturday brought us 50 potatoes which measure one bushel, but weigh considerable more. They are Clark's No. 1, and he raised 100 bushels on a third of an acre.—*Min. Mail.*

No merchant does business for fun or pleasure, but as I am bound to go and must get out of business, so every thing goes at cost, at H. Joseph's.

Cards have been issued for the wedding of Miss Sarah Collins to J. W. Rogers, at the home of the bride, near Lapeer, Wednesday, October 23. The many friends of Miss Collins will extend congratulations.

For first class photographs call at S. E. Odell's Studio, opposite the court house. Views a specialty, prices reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed.

One item of expenditures reported last week by the Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church was \$100. The \$100 for the organ was given by the Young People's Society of the M. E. Church.

Joseph Marks has rented the store of Wm. Woodburn, next to Smale's hardware, put in a large skylight and refitted it all through, for a first class merchant tailoring establishment. He will give you fits.

J. C. Peacock died at the home of his parents, in Grove Township, Saturday, Oct. 11th, and was buried in the Grayling Cemetery, Monday. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. S. B. Taylor of the M. E. Church.

Strangers are often heard to remark "well what's struck Roscommon! A new school house, new sidewalks, a new paper, electric lights, and steam printing establishment." Oh, Yes; Roscommon still lives.—*Ros. News.*

We hereby render our most sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their sympathy and assistance so freely rendered during the sickness, and at the final obsequies of our son, Mr. and Mrs. GEO. PRACOCK.

M. J. Connine has been nominated for Pros. Attorney of Iosco County. His opponent is C. K. Henry, who is reported to have left the republican party because he failed of securing a renomination to the State Senate, after his peculiar action in that body.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church, will meet every Thursday afternoon at Hempstead's hall, for work. All persons interested are cordially invited.

Mrs. H. MASTERS, Pres.

A fair audience greeted Hon. Jas. Van Kleeck at the Opera House last evening, and were treated to a fair and candid argument in favor of republican principles as proven by republican measures and their results. It was a speech that appealed to men's reason rather than their passion and must be conducive of good.

Deputy Sheriff McCormick enjoyed a visit with Van Kleeck, last evening. They were members of the same regiment and had not met since a mole battle, that Van Kleeck now carries in his back, having gone through him, and McCormick was slightly winged by the same volley, on the field of Antietam, where their regiment, the 17th Mich., lost nearly 300 men.

DIED—At his home in the township of Blaine, Friday, Oct. 10th, Philo Strickland, in his 79th year. His funeral services were held Sunday, at the school house near his home, attended by a large concourse of sympathizing neighbors and friends. His aged wife survives him, and one son, M. E. Strickland, who is married and lives on an adjoining farm, being thereby enabled to be with him during his last days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Canfield have returned from a months absence; they report a delightful trip over the great Northwest, especially in Washington and Oregon, and tell marvelous stories of the fruit productions of that region, specimens of which they brought home, and we can testify as to its quality. They were in the great snow storm of Oct. 4th.

James Revell, who went to the southwest part of the state looking for sheep, writes that he is near Mt. Pleasant, and is probably beyond that place now. He says he finds lots of land not as good as where he lives, some miles north of Roscommon.—*Roscommon News.*

The monthly crop report estimates the wheat crop for the year at 22,670,409 bushels, or an average in the state of 16.58 bushels per acre. The average weight per bushel is 59 pounds; 3,577,521 bushels are reported marketed in August and September; or more than 1,250,000 bushels in excess of the same period last year. Potatoes yield only 38 per cent of an average crop, and the yield of corn per acre in the state is 53 bushels of ears.

# Attention Everybody! Business is Booming!

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There you will find a complete and New Stock of Dry Goods,

Consisting of the famous Broadhead Dress Goods,

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We also have a full assortment of Germantown, Saxony and Spanish Yarns.

We have a fine line of Ladies Wool Underwear at \$1.00.

In our Shoe Department we warrant the wear, and guarantee a saving in the price.

We make a specialty in Gents and Ladies \$2.00 Shoes.

## Our Grocery Department

Is jam full of good things to eat.

A fine line of Canned Goods, pure Spices and Extracts.

Lowest prices on Teas and Coffees.

The best 35 and 50 cents Tea in Grayling. Samples free to prove it.

Mingle with the mighty throng, and say as well as you may. Verily, merrily, move and wile.

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Fine Crackers in 3 pound boxes.

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BOARD AT MCCLAIN'S RESTAURANT. I DON'T.

Job to Let.

I WILL let to the lowest responsible bidder, the job of building a shop near the woodsheds of Salling, Hanson & Co., on lot South of the residence of E. Purchase. Terms, CASH, as soon as the job is completed and accepted. Plans and specifications can be seen at the AVANCEMENT Office.

Sept. 13, 11. A. J. ROSE.

Wanted.

I want to purchase a lot of fat cattle, sheep and hogs, for which I will pay a reasonable price.

JOHN S. HARRINGTON.

For Sale.

I WILL SELL any of my houses or lots on favorable terms. For particular information, call on JOSEPH CHARRON.

May 3, 11.

Gunsmith Shop.

I WILL open up the old blacksmith shop near the bridge, where I will make and repair guns and do other work in my line. Repairing of machinery a specialty. Terms reasonable. Give me a call.

H. B. WILLIAMS.

Aug. 18th, '87.

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Having taken advantage of the immense sales in the Eastern markets in recent purchases, our stock was never more complete and we can suit you in every line.

AN ENDLESS VARIETY OF DRESS GOODS;  
BEST BRANDS OF FRESH GROCERIES;  
BOOTS, SHOES AND CLOTHING;  
SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE;  
STOVES AND RANGES;  
CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE,  
PAINTS AND OILS, &c., &c.

HAY, OATS AND FEED;  
WOOD, COAL and LUMBER,  
or anything you WANT, at the  
PIONEER STORE of  
SALLING, HANSON & COMPANY,  
GRAYLING, MICHIGAN.

## ELECTION NOTICE.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.  
Grayling, Mich., Sept. 22, '90.

To the Electors of the County of Crawford:

YOU are hereby notified that at the General Election to be held in this State, on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November next, the following officers are to be elected:

A Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Auditor General, Commissioner of the State Land Office, Attorney General and Superintendent of Public Instruction; also a Member of the State Board of Education, in place of James M. Ballou, whose term of office will expire Dec. 31, 1890; also a Representative in Congress for the 14th Congressional District of this State, to which your county belongs; also a Senator for the 27th Senatorial District, composed of the Counties of Cheboygan, Presque Isle, Osego, Montmorency, Kalkaska, Crawford, Missaukee and Roscommon. Also a Representative in the State Legislature, for one Representative District comprising Crawford, Oseoda, Ogemaw and Roscommon counties. Also an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court to fill the vacancy caused by the death of James V. Campbell.

The term of office for which said Supreme Justice is to be elected will expire December 31, 1895.

Also a proposition for a Convention for a general revision of the Constitution of this State, as provided by Act No. 160 of the Public Acts of 1889.

Also, a Sheriff, County Clerk, Register of deeds, County Treasurer, Prosecuting Attorney, Circuit Court Commissioner, County Surveyor and two Coronors.

WILLIAM MCCULLOUGH,  
Sheriff of Crawford County.

## HARNESS SHOP.

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN.

ALL parts of Harness made to order. All kinds of straps on hand. Second hand harness repaired and sold on commission. Repairing a specialty. Shop on Railroad Street, on corner West of Sanderson's Hotel.

A. R. TOWSLEY.

WARRIOR BOWLER CO.,  
Attorney for Mortgage.

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'Box Tip' School Shoes for Boys and Girls.

Handed or Wedge Heel. Sizes 3 to 10 1/2 \$1.25. 11 to 13 1/2 \$1.50. 14 to 16 \$2.00.

FARGO'S \$2.50 Gait Shoe for Gentlemen.

Handed or Wedge Heel. Sizes 3 to 10 1/2 \$1.25. 11 to 13 1/2 \$1.50. 14 to 16 \$2.00.

FARGO'S \$2.50 LADIES' BOOT.

Handed or Wedge Heel. Sizes 3 to 10 1/2 \$1.25. 11 to 13 1/2 \$1.50. 14 to 16 \$2.00.

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